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Table 1: Economy		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no	1 152	1 069	1 174	1 048	887
Unemployment rate	%	4.3	4.0	4.4	3.9	3.2
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	4 783	5 760	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	52.8	45.2	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	4 659	4 836	-
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	23 840	23 989	-
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	1 037.4	1 079.4	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	43 517	46 746	-
Net tax	\$m	-	-	237.9	233.6	-
Average net tax	\$	-	-	9 680	10 125	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	23	22	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	28 623	28 820	-
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	1 070.2	1 125.6	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	37 391	39 372	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Continual	no	3 734	3 891	3 650	4 060	4 280
Age Pension - DVA	no	33	30	26	26	25
Care Payment	no	122	147	146	171	182
Disability Support Pension	no	801	822	792	839	895
Age Allowance	no	685	696	651	662	682
Widow's Payment - Single	no	304	301	303	304	321
Youth Allowances	no	915	912	821	801	733
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	51.0	51.0	53.8	50.9	53.8
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no	23 214	23 192	23 555	23 872	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	881.5	883.6	923.6	972.9	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	38 052	38 431	39 118	41 060	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no	3 188	3 225	3 218	3 244	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	43.8	43.4	47.3	50.8	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	13 878	13 473	14 680	15 688	-
Investment earners	no	16 253	16 919	16 655	17 476	-
Investment income	\$m	84.8	86.3	88.1	93.6	-
Average investment income	\$	3 379	3 510	4 036	4 163	-
Superannuation and annuity earners	no	1 268	1 354	1 451	1 576	-
Superannuation and annuity income	\$m	22.2	24.9	28.2	33.1	-
Average Superannuation and annuity income	\$	17 861	18 394	19 427	21 001	-
Other income earners (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	2 650	2 807	2 952	3 047	-
Other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.9	-
Average other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1 698	1 641	1 814	2 303	-
Total income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	983.7	1 023.7	1 084.4	1 136.4	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	2 477	2 464	2 458	2 405	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	2 302	2 237	2 304	2 355	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	2 311	2 285	2 295	2 216	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	2 037	2 008	2 084	2 185	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	1 688	1 792	1 945	2 047	-
Males - 65 years and over	no	242	297	305	321	-
Males - Total	no	11 088	11 951	12 139	12 126	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	2 581	2 523	2 512	2 523	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	2 097	2 048	2 091	2 127	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	2 173	2 178	2 130	2 143	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	3 023	2 963	2 988	2 926	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	1 248	1 393	1 552	1 659	-
Females - 65 years and over	no	115	115	133	177	-
Females - Total	no	11 224	11 240	11 416	11 546	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	5 058	4 987	4 968	4 928	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	4 399	4 285	4 395	4 452	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	4 484	4 463	4 425	4 358	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	5 060	5 008	5 052	5 171	-
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	2 936	3 185	3 497	3 687	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no	343	402	438	498	-
Persons - Total	no	23 212	23 191	23 555	23 872	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no	2 484	2 491	2 470	2 438	-
Professionals	no	4 053	4 084	4 312	4 500	-
Associate Professionals	no	1 449	1 477	1 587	1 672	-
Technicians and Related Workers	no	3 259	3 277	3 114	3 123	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	705	765	735	685	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	4 434	4 384	4 483	4 493	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no	1 038	1 267	1 284	1 263	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	2 521	2 588	2 598	2 649	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no	1 854	1 795	1 831	1 769	-
Not stated	no	2 130	2 154	2 100	2 037	-
Total wage and salary earners	no	23 214	23 191	23 555	23 872	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June						
Net worth per household	\$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	na	\$m	-	-	-	-
Equivalent net worth	\$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Assets per household	\$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	na	\$'000	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no	2 337	2 178	2 133	2 084	-
Employing businesses	no	888	960	1 008	1 020	-
Employing businesses 1 to 4 employees	no	519	519	568	568	-
Total businesses	no	3 768	3 747	3 723	3 714	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no	507	483	384	444	-
Employing business entries	no	213	190	180	165	-
Total business entries	no	720	673	564	609	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no	621	552	399	417	-
Employing business exits	no	30	21	135	177	-
Total business exits	no	651	573	534	594	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no	34	54	83	80	-
Mining	no	0	0	0	0	-
Manufacturing	no	384	397	384	397	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	3	3	6	3	-
Construction	no	684	653	653	653	-
Wholesale trade	no	290	290	290	290	-
Retail trade	no	495	456	441	435	-
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no	69	66	79	72	-
Transport and storage	no	243	231	216	195	-
Communication services	no	99	90	78	66	-
Finance and insurance	no	243	228	246	255	-
Property and business services	no	675	1 002	672	900	-
Education	no	36	39	36	42	-
Health and community services	no	161	177	174	183	-
Cultural and recreational services	no	73	87	90	93	-
Personal and other services	no	114	99	99	109	-
Total businesses	no	3 768	3 747	3 723	3 714	-

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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 187	1 178
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 428	1 371
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 746	1 717
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	2 071	2 014
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	2 011	2 046
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 437	1 438
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 374	1 359
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 315	1 317
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 560	1 538
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 891	1 831
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 950	1 932
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 624	1 684
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 009	1 066
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	688	741
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	484	485
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	414	418
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	314	333
Males - 85 years and over	no.	208	233
Males - Total	no.	22 711	22 701
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 046	1 045
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 372	1 313
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 746	1 697
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	2 059	2 006
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 858	1 887
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 299	1 315
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 444	1 380
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 488	1 490
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 840	1 766
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	2 146	2 071
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 990	2 021
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 572	1 609
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	990	1 077
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	658	693
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	595	568
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	615	610
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	514	517
Females - 85 years and over	no.	526	556
Females - Total	no.	23 758	23 621
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	2 233	2 223
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	2 800	2 684
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 492	3 414

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	4 130	4 020
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	3 869	3 933
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	2 736	2 753
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	2 818	2 739
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	2 803	2 807
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	3 400	3 304
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	4 037	3 902
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3 940	3 953
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3 196	3 293
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 999	2 143
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 346	1 434
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 079	1 053
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 029	1 028
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	828	850
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	734	789
Persons - Total	no.	46 469	46 322

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	499	536
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Total fertility rate	rate	1.8	1.8
Deaths	no.	302	308
Standardised death rate	rate	6.8	6.6

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2006	2007	2008
1 188	1 169	1 183
1 346	1 364	1 329
1 659	1 576	1 496
1 982	1 976	1 977
2 012	2 047	2 033
1 527	1 580	1 601
1 305	1 248	1 232
1 352	1 405	1 399
1 460	1 426	1 387
1 795	1 719	1 672
1 899	1 904	1 876
1 757	1 707	1 727
1 119	1 253	1 335
775	810	825
524	555	604
399	407	423
355	344	335
246	278	299
22 700	22 768	22 733
1 129	1 093	1 086
1 258	1 271	1 275
1 635	1 630	1 578
1 970	1 982	1 978
1 919	1 868	1 841
1 367	1 421	1 476
1 302	1 297	1 266
1 522	1 528	1 526
1 708	1 643	1 615
2 052	2 043	1 978
2 007	2 005	2 034
1 738	1 758	1 741
1 141	1 229	1 345
735	804	863
565	611	652
614	586	560
493	524	547
588	587	572
23 743	23 880	23 933
2 317	2 262	2 269
2 604	2 635	2 604
3 294	3 206	3 074

3 952	3 958	3 955
3 931	3 915	3 874
2 894	3 001	3 077
2 607	2 545	2 498
2 874	2 933	2 925
3 168	3 069	3 002
3 847	3 762	3 650
3 906	3 909	3 910
3 495	3 465	3 468
2 260	2 482	2 680
1 510	1 614	1 688
1 089	1 166	1 256
1 013	993	983
848	868	882
834	865	871
46 443	46 648	46 666

-	-	1 495.7
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0.3	-	-
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1.6	-	-
7.6	-	-
3.8	-	-
1.1	-	-
6.5	-	-
3.5	-	-
4.3	-	-
0.7	-	-
1.4	-	-
30.6	-	-

23.6	-	-
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2.3	-	-
1.5	-	-
13.4	-	-
8.5	-	-
16.3	-	-
9.2	-	-
51.1	-	-

11.7	-	-
19.4	-	-
14.3	-	-
8.1	-	-
17.7	-	-
12.6	-	-

5.8	-	-
8.5	-	-
1.8	-	-
2 516	-	-
340	-	-
12 145	-	-
15 001	-	-
5 135	-	-
1 595	-	-
3 797	-	-
1 100	-	-
642	-	-
154	-	-
12 423	-	-
38 938	-	-
3 670	-	-
28 970	-	-
10 432	-	-
100.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
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0.0	-	-
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100.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
18.3	-	-
19.2	-	-
7.1	-	-
0.8	-	-
10.2	-	-
53.9	-	-
18.4	-	-
0.4	-	-
72.8	-	-
425	492	472

1.7	1.7	1.6
285	268	284
6.2	5.8	5.5



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	134	113
Total dwelling units	no.	180	168
Value of private sector houses	\$m	22.2	18.1
Value of new residential building	\$m	27.1	24.0
Value of total residential building	\$m	36.2	31.8
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	26.5	29.5
Value of total building	\$m	62.7	61.3
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	166.0	160.0
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	29 162	29 362
Campervans	no.	29	35
Light commercial vehicles	no.	2 897	2 941
Light rigid trucks	no.	132	132
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	483	449
Articulated trucks	no.	47	58
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	24	25
Buses	no.	53	50
Motorcycles	no.	742	767
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	33 568	33 819
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	628	634
Campervans	no.	1	1
Light commercial vehicles	no.	62	63
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	10	10
Articulated trucks	no.	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	1	1
Motorcycles	no.	16	17
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	722	730
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	9 250	9 137
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	9 559	9 815
10 years or older	no.	14 754	14 861
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	30 607	30 867

Diesel	no.	1 365	1 439
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	1 596	1 513

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS



2006	2007	2008
88	66	54
95	224	90
15.6	13.3	11.5
17.2	36.5	17.0
23.3	42.7	25.1
50.0	33.4	39.1
73.3	76.1	64.2
177.2	200.8	213.2
29 731	30 057	30 356
34	38	45
3 071	3 174	3 237
140	149	156
479	468	479
50	40	43
28	29	28
49	46	47
805	864	941
34 386	34 864	35 332
640	644	650
1	1	1
66	68	69
3	3	3
10	10	10
1	1	1
1	1	1
1	1	1
17	19	20
740	747	757
9 263	9 510	9 528
10 303	10 387	10 567
14 814	14 964	15 235
31 329	31 533	31 651

1 584	1 773	2 014
1 472	1 558	1 666

0.2	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.2	-	-

442.7	-	-
0.0	-	-
2.4	-	-
12.0	-	-
12.0	-	-
0.0	-	-

0	-	-
0	-	-
169	-	-
0	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	31.2
0	-	-
0	-	-
44	-	-
np	-	-
np	-	-
0.0	-	-